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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Applicant(s) request(s) the following extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a):								
 ☐ One month of original due date (\$120.00) ☐ Two months of original due date (\$450.00) ☐ Three months of original due date (\$1,020.00) ☐ Four months of original due date (\$1,590.00) ☐ Five months of original due date (\$2,160.00) 								
A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:								
is filed herewith.								
has been filed.								
 ☐ The response is the filing of a continuing application, the prior application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application. ☑ The accompanying papers include amended claims for which no additional fee is required. ☐ The accompanying papers include amended claims the fee for which has been calculated as follows: 								
☐ The accompanying papers include amended claims the fee for which has been calculated as follows: CLAIMS AS AMENDED								
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(1)	(2) Claims remaining After amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number Previously paid for			(6) Rate		(7) Additional Fee
Total Claims	11	Minus	21 =	0	 x	\$50	=	\$ 0.00
Indep. Claims	4	Minus	6 =	0	X	\$200	=	\$ 0.00
	ance of a multip	e depen	dent claim		+	\$360	=	\$ 0.00
		Total A	Additional Fee for	this Amendment				\$0.00
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